

**North County High School  
PTSA Board Meeting Minutes  
Wed., May 19, 2021 at 7:00  
Via ZOOM**

**Present:** Lisa Crittenden, President  
Stephanie Doersam, Senior Banners Chair, Facebook moderator  
Sally Wood, Music Boosters Liaison  
Andrea Zamora, Prom Breakfast  
Susan Carter, Hospitality  
Genny Furley, Communications Chair  
Carin Ellis  
Alison Cherowitzo, Membership  
Laurece Hale  
Wanda Behnke  
Kim Bixler  
Thomas Geckle  
Michelle Mills  
Christi McCormick

**Welcome & Introductions (if needed)** – meeting started @ 7:04pm

**Minutes from April were approved.**

**Membership Report- No new members, currently 59 adults / 8 students**

**Treasurer's Report-Treasurer's report reviewed**

- Food Nights

Chick-fil-A Oct 19th - \$55	Chick-fil-A Feb 15 -\$45
Chipotle Nov 16th - \$122.55	Mod Pizza March 10th - \$61.84
Mod Pizza Nov 30th - \$165.76	Chick-fil-A April 19th
Chick-fil-A Dec 21st - \$60	Mod Pizza May 20th
Mod Pizza Jan 14th - \$74	Chick-fil-A June 21 <sup>st</sup>

- AmazonSmile
  - April 1 – June 30 - \$33.04
  - July 1 – Sept 30 - \$54.54
  - Oct 1 – Dec 31 - \$121.25
- The Answer Class
  - May - \$119.20
- *A question was raised about the funding for the Prom Breakfast and other Senior class funds. For the Prom Breakfast, no active fundraising was done for this event, so the funds we had at the beginning of the school year will roll over to next school year. For the Senior class fund questions, she was directed to the Senior class advisors/school personnel – this is not handled by the PTSA*

### **Principal's Report-**

- Mr. Fowlkes was not in attendance for this meeting

### **Old Business**

- Graduation – scheduled for June 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm, at Crofton High Stadium. Graduation rehearsal will be held online (per Susan). 4 tickets available per student.
- Senior Awards will be held online 5/20 @ 6:00pm, via the link available on the NCHS website (northcountyhs.com, scroll down to the Senior Awards 2021 image). *Many PTSA members have mentioned they like the Senior Awards being online and hope it will continue.*
- Senior banner is up at Vince's. *Discussion on what to do with last years banner, as well as this year's when it comes down. No definitive plan was made, but the PTSA board has no way to store them. Further discussion needed.*
- Thomas Geckle corrected that a turf field will not be installed in the front lot with the funding received for the Field House.

### **New Business**

- Request for Seniors. *Question on whether we could do anything for the 2021 seniors. After discussion of options, and the fact that graduation is off-site and the obligations drop off is next week, it was decided that the PTSA does not have enough time to plan, or funding, to do anything at this late of a date (KONA truck, pizza, etc.).*

- MD PTA is now Free State PTA. New Bylaws and convention/information coming soon
- IndieFlix films preview by Lisa, Stephanie, Kim and Genny (Angst, Like, Nevertheless, The Upstanders). *Stephanie and Genny did not like them / did not think they would retain the interest of the teens, Kim thought the bullying video seemed aimed at Middle School age, Lisa liked the Angst video. Kim will watch the ones she didn't get a chance to watch yet. These videos start @ \$2000 for a 1-week license that all students and parents could watch. A live version was suggested as perhaps a better option to a video, but it is unlikely that would happen anytime soon.*
- Planning for the 21-22 school year PTSA / meetings over the summer.
  - This is the last PTSA meeting for the 20-21 school year, but the Board will meet over the summer.
  - We will need Membership and Prom Breakfast chairs, as well as a Music Booster Liaison, for the next school year. Committee members serve a 1-year term. *(thank you to our outgoing committee chairs and music booster liaison!)*
    - *Michelle Wilkerson reached out to Lisa and volunteered for the Music Boosters Liaison*
    - *Andrea (outgoing Prom Breakfast Chair) noted that everything is in the Google Drive for the position. She also offered to run a Zoom lesson on how to work Sign-Up Genius if anyone was interested*
    - *Kim & Susan are interested in taking over as co-chairs for the Prom Breakfast. Suggest that this is a good setup for the future (one Junior parent, one Senior parent). If they do take over as co-chairs, Susan would vacate the Hospitality Chair. Further discussion to be had on this subject (other volunteers, etc.).*
  - The following committees need to be put together and would probably run over the summer:
    - Budget Committee
    - Scholarship Committee (focus on a rubric/submission guidelines)

### **Questions / Comments for Mr. Fowlkes:**

- Better communication from the school on events / general information is needed. *Specifically, graduation information seems to be a point of confusion for many parents. Some information comes from many different sources (direct*

*emails, ConnectEd, texts, Google Classroom, etc.) and the parents don't always get the information from their children in a timely fashion if it's only available in the Google Classroom.*

- *Chromebooks. If Chromebooks must be returned by May 25/27<sup>th</sup>, how will the seniors who have AP tests complete them online?*
- *Senior Class funds. Where can parents go to see the specific county and/or school guidelines for how senior (or any) class funds are spent*

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm.